In the United States Patent and Trademark Office APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES IN RE APPLICATION ΆF Box: CONFIRMATION No.: OEPEN ET AL. 5586 GROUP ART UNIT: SERIAL NO. 09/825,956 1711 **APRIL 05, 2001** JEFFREY C. MULLIS FILED: EXAMINER: INCREASING THE ELONGATION AT BREAK OF MOLDINGS I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on: August 29, 2003 Date of Deposit Herbert B. Keil Person Making Deposit Signature August 29, Date of Signature Sir: 1. NOTICE OF APPEAL: Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated April 29, 2003, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1 to 3 and 6. 2. Applicants hereby petition for a <u>-1-</u> month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. Applicants request entry of their timely reply dated __/_ for purposes of appeal. \blacksquare A check to cover the fee of \$110.00 is enclosed. A petition for a _/_ month extension of time including the requisite fee of _/_ has been filed along with the amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 dated _-/-. 3.

BRIEF ON APPEAL in this application is transmitted herewith. 4. An oral Hearing is requested ☐ The Oral Hearing fee of __/_ is enclosed. 5. A Fee(s) \$320.00 and \$110.00 ☑ Enclosed. ☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal). ☐ Charge to Deposit Account No. 11.0345. , 6. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee which may be further required,

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